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TITLE: Video rental apparatus using internet, has goods reservation unit which stores reservation information corresponding to predefined rental goods, in database

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BASIC-ABSTRACT:

NOVELTY - A registration unit (3a) registers information of user using rental service, in a database (2a). The video loan information is exhibited and searching unit (3b) searches the rental goods information stored in database (2b). A reservation unit (3c) stores reservation information corresponding to predefined rental goods, in a database.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - An output unit (3d) searches and outputs map information including user's address, which is stored in a database (2d), during reservation of rental goods. INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:

(a) video rental procedure;

(b) video rental program stored in recording medium

USE - For providing video rental service using internet.

ADVANTAGE - As search and retrieval of rental goods are performed based on the loan information, via internet, desired goods can be immediately searched among several rental goods, hence rental goods can be reserved reliably without going to rental store thereby need for large store with large parking place is avoided. As map information including user's address is stored in database, extraction of reservation order from user and map information is performed simultaneously, hence quick delivery of rental goods is ensured.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the block diagram of the video rental apparatus.

Database 2a,2b,2d

Registration unit 3a

Goods search unit 3b

Goods reservation unit 3c

Output unit 3d

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